

**GVNW Inc./Management**

7. SPECIAL ACCESS SERVICE (Cont'd)

7.6 DIGITAL SUBSCRIBER LINES (Cont'd)

7.6.2 ADSL Services (Cont'd)

(B) Service Provisioning (Cont'd)

Access from the Telephone Company's ADSL connection point will be provided via Frame Relay Service, Special Access and/or ATM, where facilities permit. Frame Relay Service is available in Section 7.5. A customer may utilize their existing Frame Relay Service or may submit an order to establish new facilities. If a customer utilizes Frame Relay Service from Section 7.5, the associated rates and charges for such facilities shall apply in addition to the rates and charges associated with the ADSL Service rate element.

The Telephone Company will qualify the ADSL Service between the CDL and the serving wire center. The purpose of qualification is to determine the availability and suitability of existing Telephone Company copper facilities to provide the service. The Telephone Company will not provision this service on facilities which are not suitable for ADSL.

The Telephone Company does not undertake to originate data, but offers the use of its service components, where available, to customers for the purpose of transporting customer-originated data.

ADSL Access Service will be provided over existing Telephone Company local exchange service lines. Rates and regulations for ADSL Access Service are in addition to any rates and regulations that apply for the associated local exchange service line provided under the terms and conditions in the Telephone Company's general and/or local exchange service tariffs. The Telephone Company will automatically disconnect ADSL Access Service when the associated local exchange service line is disconnected for any reason.

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ADSL will be provided subject to the availability and limitations of Telephone Company wire centers and outside plant facilities and is only available where technical capabilities permit. Downstream data rates depend on a number of factors, including, but not limited to (1) the distance from the CDL to the serving wire center, (2) the type of copper facility (wire gauge) and (3) the physical plant. The Telephone Company does not guarantee data rates in either direction.

(C) Responsibility of the Telephone Company

The Telephone Company will provision and maintain ADSL Service for the customer up to and including the Network Interface Device (NID). The Telephone Company will advise the customer of the equipment necessary to support ADSL Service.

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